

Shasta County Juvenile Court
Findings and Orders
Authorization for Access to Medical/Mental Health Records

It is the order of this court that the social worker *[or probation officer]* assigned to this case by the Children and Family Services Division of the Shasta County Department of Social Services *[or, the Shasta County Probation Department]* is appointed as, is deemed to be, and is designated as, the personal representative of, patient's representative of, and person acting in loco parentis for, the child(ren) who is(are) the subject(s) of this proceeding, and is authorized to act on the child(ren)'s behalf, for the purpose of inspecting, obtaining copies of, and authorizing the release of, medical records (including, but not limited to, mental health records and drug and alcohol treatment records) pertaining to the child(ren), and for the purpose of authorizing a healthcare provider to disclose any medical records and information (including, but not limited to, mental health and drug and alcohol treatment records and information) pertaining to the child(ren). Nothing in this order is to be construed as authorizing disclosure or re-release of medical, mental health, or drug and alcohol treatment records or information when prohibited by law or regulation.